

Chambers of District Judge Monti L. Belot

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Monti L. Belot
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Kansas 1965 BA, 1968 JD
Began Service: 1991
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Clerkships: Law Clerk, The Honorable Wesley E. Brown, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1971-1973)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Department of Justice (1973-1976); Special Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Department of Justice (1976-1978)

Legal Practice: Weeks, Thomas & Lysaught (1976-1983); Partner, FLP II (1979-1989); Hall, Levy, Lively, DeVore, Belot & Bell (1983-1991)

Military Service: United States Navy (1968-1971); United States Naval Reserve (1971-1986)

Staff

Judicial Assistant **Sue Whiteside** (316) 269-6519

Chambers of District Judge Kathryn Hoefer Vratil

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Kathryn Hoefer Vratil
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Kansas 1971 BA, 1975 JD
Began Service: October 30, 1992
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican



Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Earl E. O'Connor, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1975-1978)

Judicial: Municipal Judge, City of Prairie Village (1990-1992)

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Lathrop & Norquist (1978-1992)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Association for Women Lawyers of Kansas City; Federal Judges Association; Johnson County Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Foundation, Johnson County Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Kansas Bar Foundation, Kansas Bar Association; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Lawyers Association of Kansas City; National Association of Women Judges; Wyandotte County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Brett Gordon** (913) 551-6551
Education: Chicago 1990 BA;
Pennsylvania 1994 JD

Law Clerk **Angela Gupta** (913) 551-6619
Education: Kansas 1988 BS; Pennsylvania 1991 JD

Law Clerk **Mary Matthews** (913) 551-6619
Education: Kansas 1978 BS;
Emporia State 1981 MS; Washburn 1991 JD

Law Clerk **S. J. Moore** (913) 551-6552
Began Service: August 2006
Education: Emporia State 2003 BFA;
Kansas 2006 JD

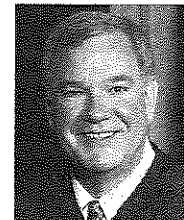
Court Reporter **Teri Hallberg** (913) 551-5647
Courtroom Deputy Clerk **Linda South** (913) 551-6539

Chambers of District Judge J. Thomas Marten

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J. Thomas Marten
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: Washburn 1973 BA, 1976 JD
Began Service: January 5, 1996
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Tom Clark, Supreme Court of the United States (1976-1977)

Legal Practice: Associate, Kutak Rock Cohen Campbell Garfinkle & Woodward (1977-1980); Kutak Rock & Huie (1980-1981); Associate, Bremyer & Wise P.A. (1981-1982); Shareholder, Bremyer & Wise P.A. (1982-1996)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Kansas Bar Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; Wichita Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Elizabeth Abraham** (316) 269-6578

Education: American U 2004 JD

Law Clerk **Brian P. Wood** (316) 269-6578

Education: Pittsburg State 1983 BA;
Kansas 1986 JD

Judicial Assistant **Ruth Thompson** (316) 269-6578

Chambers of District Judge Carlos Murguia

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Carlos Murguia
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957
Education: Kansas 1979 BS, 1982 JD
Began Service: September 8, 1999
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Judicial: Small Claims Court Judge/Judge Pro Tem (part-time), Wyandotte County District Court (1984-1990); District Court Judge, Wyandotte County District Court

Legal Practice: Attorney, Zeigler Legal Services, Chartered (1982-1985)

Nonprofit: Coordinator of Immigration Amnesty Program, El Centro, Inc. (1985-1990)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Hispanic National Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Wyandotte County Bar Association

Staff

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Law Clerk **Casey Tourtellott** (913) 551-5817
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Education: William Jewell 1995 BA;
Missouri (Kansas City) 2000 JD

Courtroom Deputy and Secretary **Jane Stepp** (913) 551-5817
Education: Park 1991 BS

Chambers of District Judge Julie A. Robinson

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Julie A. Robinson
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957
Education: Kansas 1978 BS, 1981 JD
Began Service: December 14, 2001
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Academic: Adjunct Faculty Member, University of Kansas Law School (1989-1990)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Benjamin E. Franklin, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Kansas (1981-1983)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-1992); Senior Litigation Counsel, United States Attorney's Office, District of Kansas (1992-1994)

Judicial: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Kansas (1994-2001); Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Tenth Circuit (1996-2001)

Legal Practice: Law Clerk, Schneider, Sharnberg & May (1981)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; Kansas Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Anne Murray** (785) 295-7637

Began Service: September 2005

Term Expires: September 2007

Law Clerk **Amy Miller Seymour** (785) 295-7640

Began Service: January 2005

Term Expires: January 2007

Career Law Clerk **Lauren M. Lowry** (785) 295-7637

Education: Washburn 1985 JD

Courtroom Deputy **Monice K. Crawford** (785) 295-7637

Court Reporter **Sherry A. Berner** (785) 295-7645

Chambers of Senior Judge Wesley E. Brown

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Wesley E. Brown
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1907
Education: Missouri (Kansas City) 1933 LLB
Began Service: April 4, 1962
Appointed By: President John F. Kennedy

Government: County Attorney, County of Reno, Nevada (1935-1939)

Judicial: Bankruptcy Referee, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Kansas (1958-1962); Judge, Temporary Emergency Court of Appeals of the United States (1980-1993)

Legal Practice: Associate, Williams, Martindell & Carey (1935-1939); Senior Partner, Martindell, Carey, Brown & Brabets (1939-1958); Secretary and Attorney, Aircraft Woodwork Manufacturing (1942-1944)

Military Service: United States Navy (1944-1946)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Kansas Bar Association; Reno County Bar Association; Southwest Bar Association; Wichita Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Michael Lahey** (316) 269-6497

Education: Kansas 1987 JD

Law Clerk **Christopher Phelan** (316) 269-6497

Education: Kansas 2004 JD

Law Clerk **Jennifer Wilbert** (316) 269-6260
Education: Washburn 2003 JD

Chambers of Senior Judge Richard D. Rogers

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Richard D. Rogers
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1921
Education: Kansas State 1943 BS; Kansas 1947 JD
Began Service: 1975
Appointed By: President Gerald Ford
Political Affiliation: Republican

Academic: Instructor, Business Law, Kansas State University (1948)

Government: City Commissioner Richard D. Rogers, City of Manhattan, KS (1950-1952); Mayor, City of Manhattan, KS (1952); County Attorney, Riley County, Kansas (1954-1958); General Counsel, Kansas Farm Bureau Federation (1960-1975); City Commissioner, City of Manhattan, KS (1960-1964); Republican State Chairman, Kansas State House of Representatives (1962-1964); Mayor, City of Manhattan, KS (1964); State Representative Richard D. Rogers (KS), Kansas House of Representatives (1964-1968); State Senator Richard D. Rogers (KS), Kansas State Senate (1968-1975)

Legal Practice: Partner, Springer & Rogers (1947-1958); Partner, Rogers, Stites and Hill (1959-1975)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1943-1945)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Shawnee County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **William P. Haley** (785) 295-2735

Education: Wichita State 1977 BA; Kansas 1980 JD

Law Clerk **James L. Prentice** (785) 295-2735

Education: Kansas 1976 BGS, 1979 JD

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Chambers of Senior Judge Sam A. Crow

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Sam A. Crow
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1926
Education: Kansas 1949 BA; Washburn 1952 JD
Began Service: December 10, 1981
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Lecturer, Washburn University School of Law

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1975-1981)

Legal Practice: Law Clerk, Rooney, Dickson & Prager (1952-1953); Partner, Rooney, Dickinson, Prager & Crow (1953-1963); Partner, Dickinson, Crow, Skoog & Honeyman (1963-1970); Senior Partner, Crow & Skoog (1971-1975)

Military Service: United States Army; United States Army Reserve (1952-1995)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Sam A. Crow American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Kansas Bar Association; National Association of United States Magistrates; Topeka Bar Association; Topeka Lawyers Club; Wichita Bar Association

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Martin K. Albrecht** (785) 295-2626

Career Law Clerk **Kathryn Gardner** (785) 295-2626

Secretary **Beverly Rector** (785) 295-2626